January 9, 2013 - Comments on corrections of by-law proposals at the 2012 District 5 meeting

(Note: corrections to the minutes and by-law propositions as originally written down by secretary Eileen Latasa were corrected by the meeting chairman on 12/14/12. The document is available at http://www.informedcynic.com/index.html

The following article expands on the action of the Bylaw Committee in resubmitting the trustee sponsored resolutions of the 2012 Annual Meeting to the members at the 2013 Annual Meeting along with a new resolution raising the quorum from 3% to 5% of the membership. Unfortunately only trustees in favor of this action were quoted without members and/or members of the SEC Reform Group being asked their opinion.

The resubmitting is taking place in order to confuse the voting on the resolutions passed by the members in District 5. The method of publishing and balloting from 2012 was confusing enough but having about fifty resolutions to vote on will really be a burden and they probably will be muddled in with the members resolutions. The trustees really think the members are too stupid to recognize this ploy but these are the same folks who defeated those old trustee resolutions by more than 5 to 1 and they are not dumb. The District 5 resolutions are published here so that people can become familiar with them.

As the time approaches for the 2013 Annual Meeting, more information will be available on this really abominable action.